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- i. The difficult economic situation in the western zones, and the strong popular reaction.
- j. The formation of SPD-CPU blocs in the western zones.
3. The "Kulturbund", which had been requested to secure appropriate speakers and to forward their names to the komendatura, in turn asked the CPU leaders in Sonneberg to submit to them by 17 March the names of suitable persons, indicating their age, occupation, and party affiliations. It was planned to select, if possible, speakers from all anti-fascist parties, and leave the assignment of topics to the different political organizations. Sell asked that the texts of all speeches be submitted to him by 15 April at the latest, so that he could pass them on to Lt. Col. Vostrikov.

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